

READING CHECK

1 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences about the story.

- a It's spring summer autumn.
- b Geoffery Chaucer is in Canterbury London Oxford.
- c He's with two friends thirty people his wife.
- d They're waiting to go to Canterbury London Oxford.
- e The landlord wants all the people to finish eating tell a story have a free dinner.

2 What are the people in the story like? Match two phrases with each picture.



a the Knight ☐ ☐



b the Merchant ☐ ☐



c the Clerk ☐ ☐



d the Franklin ☐ ☐



e the Wife of Bath ☐ ☐

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| 1 always helps people | 6 laughs and talks a lot |
| 2 asks a lot of people to his house | 7 loves eating and drinking |
| 3 can't hear very well | 8 reads a lot |
| 4 hasn't got much money | 9 talks about ships and the sea |
| 5 is a good person | 10 wears expensive clothes |

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Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words on the table.



- a Chaucer and his friends are going to visit the tomb of a
- b They're staying for a night at an before they leave for Canterbury.
- c The Clerk doesn't look happy; he's got eyes.
- d The Merchant and the Franklin both have on their faces.
- e The Wife of Bath's are all red.
- f Two knights are in this picture.
- g He's a man, he doesn't eat much, and he's always hungry.
- h The at the Inn gave them a good dinner.

GUESS WHAT

The Knight tells the first story. It begins in Greece a long time ago.

Which three things do you think happen in the story?

	Yes	No
a Two cousins fight because of a woman.	☐	☐
b A bad knight takes a beautiful woman away from her home.	☐	☐
c Two knights fall in love with one woman.	☐	☐
d A woman's five husbands die, one by one.	☐	☐
e The Roman gods help three of the people in the story.	☐	☐
f A young knight marries an old woman.	☐	☐